

Community Safety Department,
Security Services

SECURITY INCIDENTS STATISTICAL REPORT

2016/2017 1st Quarter

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GLOSSARY OF TERMS

PERCENTAGE CHANGE:

Percentage Change refers to the % increase or decrease from the previous time frame.

RATE:

Rate refers to Rate of Crime per 1,000 persons.

REPORTED:

Reported refers to the number of incidents which occurred on or in relation to University property that were reported to York University Security Services.

OFFENCE:

An Offence is any violation of Federal Laws, Provincial Statutes or Municipal by-laws.

PROPERTY CRIMES:

Property Crimes involve unlawful acts with respect to property but do not involve the use or threat of violence against a person. These include: actual and attempted break and enter, theft, mischief, arson, and fraud categories.

CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS:

Crimes Against Persons involve the application and/or threat of violence to a person. These include: sexual assaults, non-sexual assaults, harassment, homicide, abduction, indecent acts, intimidation, robbery, and uttering threats categories.

INCIDENTS AFFECTING QUALITY OF LIFE:

Incidents Affecting Quality of Life involve unlawful acts that do not pose a direct threat to an individual but have an impact as to the perception of safety and fear of crime. These include: bomb threats, disorderly behaviour, cause disturbance, smoking complaints, damage, emergency medical, fire alarms, suspicious vehicles and persons, trespass, occupations & demonstrations, and hate incident categories.

OTHER INCIDENTS:

Other Incidents include: information, unfounded occurrences, hazardous substances, missing persons, and motor vehicle collision categories, among others.

INTRODUCTION

DATA COLLECTION and SOURCE:

The data contained in this report is taken from the York University Security Services Computer Information Systems. These systems are as follows:

- PERSPECTIVE by Resolver (Formerly PPM2000)
- DISPATCH LOG by Resolver (Formerly PPM2000)

It should be noted that as the above systems are being updated continuously during the course of an investigation into an incident, changes to statistics in previous reports are common and expected.

COLLECTION OF SEXUAL VIOLENCE STATISTICS:

Please note that the reported sexual violence statistics only represent incidents reported to York Security Services. These statistics do not reflect cases reported in confidence to the Sexual Violence Response Office (SVRO). As of September 2016, survivors have the option of reporting cases to the SVRO. Notification to police is only done at the direction of the survivor unless there is an imminent threat to community safety. SVRO is the lead intake and coordinating office for sexual violence reports. Accordingly, SVRO maintains their own statistics. Survivors still have the option of reporting to York Security Services, Community Safety Department, if they wish in addition to reporting to SVRO.

1st Quarter Highlights

The statistics presented in the 1st quarter report account for all incidents reported to York University Security Services between May 1, 2016 and July 31, 2016 which occurred on or in relation to the Keele or Glendon Campuses.

Incidents:

- The number of incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 decreased by 5% to 289 incidents compared to 303 incidents reported during the 1st quarter of 2015-2016.

Calls for Service:

- The number of calls for service reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 decreased by 12% to 1,441 compared to 1,642 calls for service received in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016.

Top Five Incident Categories:

The top five incident categories reported accounted for 165 incidents or 57% of the total incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017. The top five incident categories are ranked as per the following:

- **Emergency Medical**
 - The number of Emergency Medical incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 decreased by 12% to 50 incidents compared to 57 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016
- **Fire Alarms**
 - The number of Fire Alarm incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 increased by 14% to 42 incidents compared to 37 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016
- **Theft Under \$5000 - Private Property**
 - The number of Theft Under \$5000 – Private Property incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 decreased by 21% to 30 incidents compared to 38 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016
- **Disorderly Behaviour**
 - The number of Disorderly Behaviour incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 increased by 150% to 25 incidents compared to 10 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016
- **Trespass to Property Act**
 - The number of Trespassing incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 increased by 50% to 18 incidents compared to 12 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016

Incident Classifications:

All incidents presented in this report have been categorized as part of an incident classification hierarchy. The incident classifications are as follows:

- **Incidents Affecting Quality of Life**
 - The number of Incidents Affecting Quality of Life reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 increased by 14% to 158 incidents compared to 139 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016
- **Property Crimes**
 - The number of Property Crime incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 decreased by 24% to 67 incidents compared to 88 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016
- **Crimes Against Persons**
 - The number of Crimes Against Persons incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 decreased by 15% to 22 incidents compared to 26 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016
- **Other Incidents**
 - The number of Other Incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 decreased by 16% to 42 incidents compared to 50 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016

Violent Crimes:

The following incident categories have been selected as a measure of violent crimes that have been reported to York University Security Services and which occurred on or in relation to the Keele or Glendon Campuses. The categories are as follows:

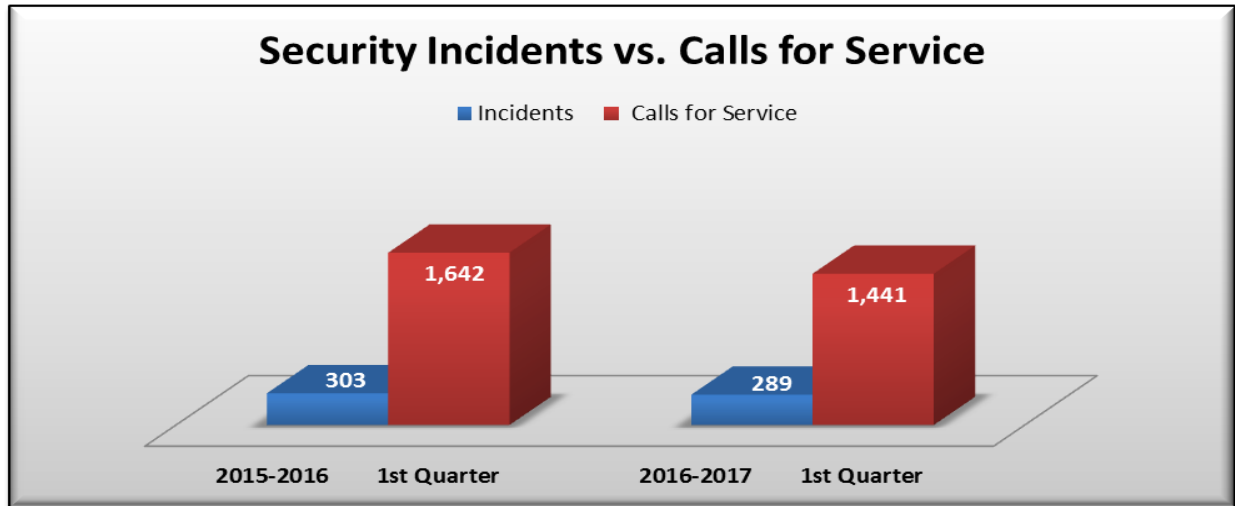
- **Non-Sexual Assault**
 - The number of Non-Sexual Assault incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 decreased by 20% to 4 incidents compared to 5 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016*
- **Sexual Assault**
 - The number of Sexual Assault incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 decreased by 100% to 0 incidents compared to 2 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016*
- **Robbery**
 - The number of Robbery incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2016-2017 decreased by 100% to 0 incidents compared to 2 incidents reported in the 1st quarter of 2015-2016*

* Small number changes equal significant percentage change increases/decreases which could be misleading therefore the absolute number change should be considered.

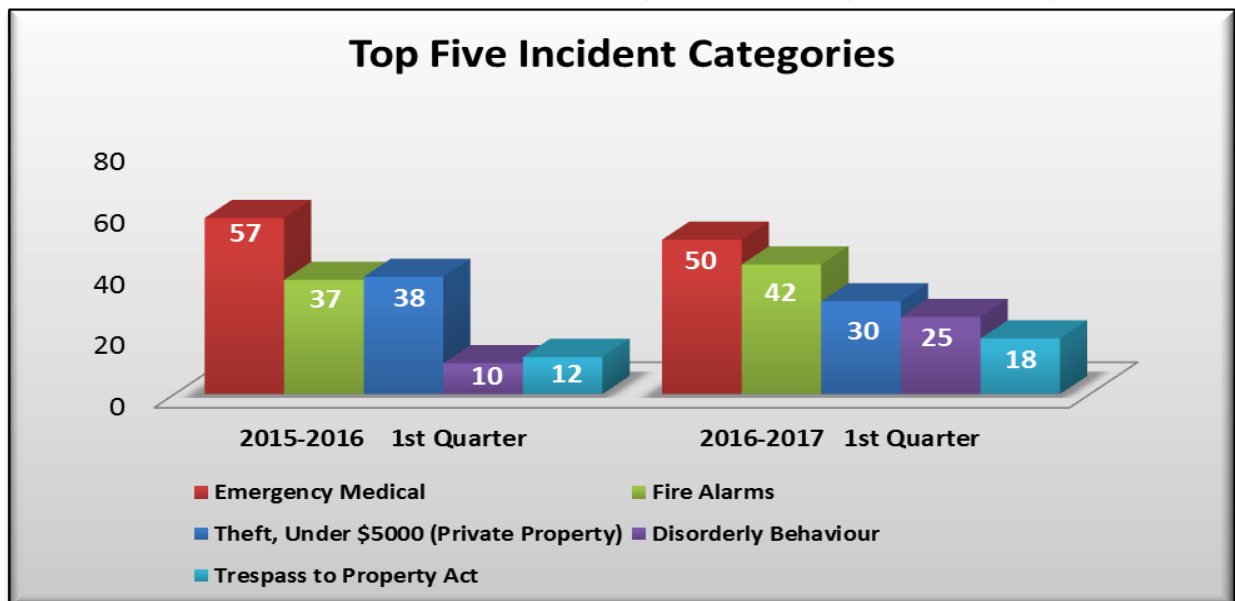
1st Quarter Statistics at a Glance

Overview – May 1, 2016 to July 31, 2016

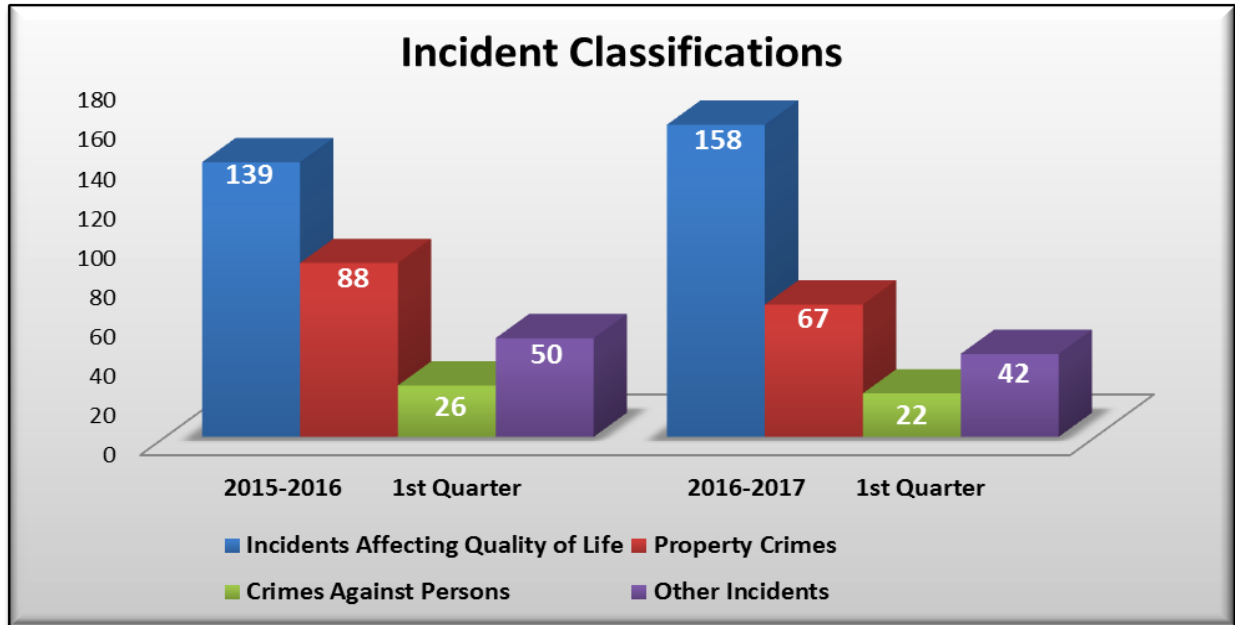
| INCIDENTS vs. CALLS FOR SERVICE | 2015-2016 1st Quarter | 2016-2017 1st Quarter | % change |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Incidents | 303 | 289 | -5% |
| Calls for Service | 1,642 | 1,441 | -12% |



| TOP FIVE INCIDENT CATEGORIES | 2015-2016 1st Quarter | 2016-2017 1st Quarter | % change |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Emergency Medical | 57 | 50 | -12% |
| Fire Alarms | 37 | 42 | 14% |
| Theft, Under \$5000 (Private Property) | 38 | 30 | -21% |
| Disorderly Behaviour | 10 | 25 | 150% |
| Trespass to Property Act | 12 | 18 | 50% |
| Total Incidents | 154 | 165 | 7% |



| INCIDENT CLASSIFICATIONS | 2015-2016 1st Quarter | 2016-2017 1st Quarter | % change |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Incidents Affecting Quality of Life | 139 | 158 | 14% |
| Property Crimes | 88 | 67 | -24% |
| Crimes Against Persons | 26 | 22 | -15% |
| Other Incidents | 50 | 42 | -16% |
| Total Incidents | 303 | 289 | -5% |



| SELECTED VIOLENT CRIMES | 2015-2016 1st Quarter | 2016-2017 1st Quarter | % change |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Non-Sexual Assault | 5 | 4 | -20% |
| Sexual Assault | 2 | 0 | -100% |
| Robbery | 2 | 0 | -100% |

